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Inventors: **Looman et al**

Examiner: **Ly T Tran**

Serial No: **10/774,920**

Group Art Unit: **2853**

Filing Date: **Feb 06, 2004**

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Title: **SULFUR-CONTAINING INORGANIC MEDIA COATINGS  
FOR INK-JET APPLICATIONS**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

**(X) Response to Restriction Requirement**

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Inventor: Steve Looman Group Art Unit: 2853

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Title: USE OF THIOETHERS TO REDUCE AIR FADE IN INKJET PRINTS

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

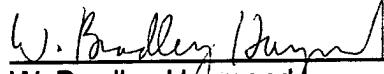
Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 20, 2006, the applicant elects, with traverse, Group I, claims 1-20. Group II (claims 21-30) is hereby withdrawn.

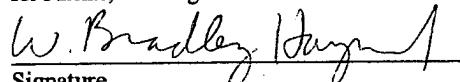
Applicant requests that the above-elected claims be allowed.

Respectfully submitted,

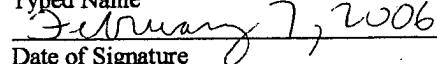
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